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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action and election requirement dated December 28, 2001, Applicants submit the following supplemental response and amendments to be added to the response of 28 March 2002.

In the Claims

Please replace claim 1 with the following rewritten claim 1:

1. A method for transferring data from a bar code reader to a software application having one or more data field, including the steps of:
- storing data from a bar code reader in an entity;
 - storing identification information regarding the bar code reader of the data in said entity;
 - transferring said entity to the software application; and

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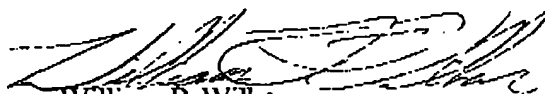
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hereby authorized to charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 50-
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Respectfully submitted,
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